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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
QWEST CORPORATION D/B/A CENTURYLINK-  
QC ("CENTURYLINK") TO CLASSIFY AND  
REGULATE RETAIL LOCAL EXCHANGE  
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES AS  
COMPETITIVE, AND TO CLASSIFY AND  
DEREGULATE CERTAIN SERVICES AS NON-  
ESSENTIAL.

Docket No. T-01051B-11-0378

**MOTION TO INTERVENE**

Pursuant to A.A.C. R14-3-105, the Arizona Investment Council ("AIC") applies to the Commission for an Order granting it leave to intervene in this proceeding. In support of its Motion, AIC states:

1. AIC's missions include the promotion of policies which encourage utility investment and infrastructure development in Arizona as well as representation of the interests of debt and equity investors in Arizona utilities. AIC's approximately 6,000 members include Arizona utility service providers and individuals who hold stock or debt instruments in these utilities.

2. AIC and its members have a substantial interest in this proceeding. Obviously, the Commission's determinations concerning the level of regulatory oversight it will apply to services provided by CenturyLink in the competitive telecommunications market have significant impacts on the Company's financial profile.

1           3.     No other party can adequately represent the interests of AIC's members in this  
2 docket. Its participation will not unduly broaden the issues presented.

3           4.     Service of all correspondence, pleadings and other documents should be made to  
4 the following:

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16                WHEREFORE, AIC requests that the Administrative Law Judge issue an order granting  
17 its Motion to Intervene.

18                RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 14<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2012.

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